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Response Summary

My invention must not be obvious.

1. It is shown that codeless programming is much desired in software engineering and is a very difficult research topic. My codeless programming invention has clear advantages over prior arts, including US Patent 5,850,548 and US Patent 5,862,379, and thus my invention could not possibly be obvious to persons with average skills.
2. All arguments provided in this document are consistent and not contradicting to each other; cross references are also provided when presenting the arguments; thus it is proved that all citations from what taught by Patel, Budd, Linden, and Deitel putting all together cannot provide motivations, hints and suggestions leading to what my invention has achieved and claimed: codeless programming without compiling; and thus my invention could not possibly be obvious to persons with average skills.

Reply Note 1

Regarding Page 2 Item 1

Topic: Drawings

Response:

Bay Area IP, LLC will review and clean up the drawings to make them up to USPTO standard.

Reply Note 2

Regarding Page 2 Item 2 and Item 3

Topic: Specification

Response:

The Abstract was rewritten to make it within 150 words.

Reply Note 3

Regarding Page 3 Item 4 and Item 5

Topic: The formatting of the Claims

Response Summary:

The original claims were reformatted according to USPTO standards.

Response Details:

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